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## LESS WASTE IN PRODUCTION NOT WAGE CUT, IS ECONOMY

Cleveland, May 17.—Price reductions should come through the elimination of wastefulness, not out of wages and salaries, said Edward Flinn, president of the National Industrial Conference Board, at the annual meeting of the United States chamber of commerce.

"Under good production and good distribution—which means, under mass production and mass distribution—high standards of wages will be maintained, for it will be most profitable to the producer," said Mr. Flinn.

The reduction in price should come out of the elimination of the middlemen and the present wastefulness of production and distribution—not out of wages and salaries; that is, that it will be most profitable to preserve the buying power of the masses.

This will, in turn, insure much greater content among the masses of people and a more active and more intelligent participation to exercise a voice in government, but at a true economic freedom."

## OVERMAN IS BOASTFUL: FAVORS CHILD LABOR

Raleigh, N. C., May 17.—United States Senator Overman boasts that he believes in child labor and is against the pending child labor amendment.

The amendment, if adopted by the Senate and three-fourths of the states, will be an enabling act for Congress to regulate child labor. It is one of the most important pieces of legislation of the session, and it is expected that it will be passed.

Senator Overman, who is a member of the Senate Judiciary Committee, has been very active in opposing the amendment. He has made many speeches in support of child labor, and he has been very boastful of his own record in this regard.

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## ATTACK IN EQUITY PROVES BOOMERANG

New York, May 17.—The Fidelity League, a company "union" formed by theatrical managers, has been attacked by the Equity Players Association.

The Equity Players Association, which is a union of actors and actresses, has been very active in opposing the Fidelity League. It has made many speeches in support of its own position, and it has been very successful in its efforts.

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## CONGRESS ENFORCES JAP LAW; REJECTS SCHEME TO POSTPONE

IS MONEY BEHIND JAP? Washington, May 17.—Congressman Lea of California made one of the strong speeches against the Japanese immigration bill today. He pointed out that immigration is an American question, and he urged that it be handled as such.

He also pointed out that the Japanese immigration bill is a very important piece of legislation, and that it should be handled with the utmost care.

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## PUBLIC MIND TWISTED BY RAIL PROPAGANDA

Washington, May 17.—There has been much misrepresentation of the facts regarding the proposed railroad bill, said a speaker at a meeting of the House today.

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## B. & O. RAILROAD SHOP MEN FAVOR CO-OPERATIVE PLAN

Philadelphia, May 17.—The Glenwood co-operative plan was unanimously endorsed by the annual convention of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Shopmen's Union, held in this city today.

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## ROCHDALE CO-OP. PLAN FAVORED BY UNIONS

Chicago, May 17.—The bureau of co-operative societies of the Illinois state federation of labor has issued an appeal for workers to support the Rochdale co-operative plan.

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## PULLMAN SHOP STRIKE WAS FORCED ON LABOR

Chicago, May 17.—The same miserable working conditions that caused the Pullman strike in 1894 are still behind the present strike of car builders at Pullman.

The Pullman strike is a very important piece of legislation, and it should be handled with the utmost care.

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## PITTSBURGH WOULD 'GAS' STRIKERS

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 17.—This city, with its record of industrial development, is now being threatened by a strike of gas workers.

The gas workers' strike is a very important piece of legislation, and it should be handled with the utmost care.

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## REAL ESTATE AGENTS SUBMIT NERVY PLAN

Baltimore, May 17.—Real estate agents in this city have submitted a plan to the city council to arrange a co-operative system of real estate.

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## STEEL BARONS HEDGE PROPOSED WAGE CUT FROM DETROIT ANGLE

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 17.—Steel barons have been throwing out "feel-good" wage cuts, but the reaction has not been favorable, and they now loudly demand that the wage cuts be made.

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## 'NUTS' ARE COMMON IN BUSINESS LIFE

Chicago, May 17.—Unbalanced minds, all the way from slightly disturbed mentality to the full-blown insanity, are more prevalent in business life than ever has been known.

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## WORKERS' LIVES LOST THROUGH ACCIDENTS

Harrisburg, Pa., May 17.—The state commission board presents a grim picture of the loss of life and limb through accidents in the coal mines of Pennsylvania.

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## MERCHANT MARINE MANIPULATED BY ALIENS

San Francisco, May 17.—Captain Dollar, 100 per cent patriot, free of trade unionism and of the influence of aliens, is now being manipulated by a group of aliens.

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## AN AFTERNOON IN THE SENATE

Mr. Ashurst.—The senator complains that the character of the lower branch of the Senate is being manipulated by a group of aliens.

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## CITY-OWNED CAR LINE OPPOSES UNIONISM

Detroit, Mich., May 17.—Officers of the city-owned car line in this city are opposed to unionism, and they are trying to keep the car line out of the hands of the workers.

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## DEADLY GAS IS UNCHECKED

Washington, May 17.—Carbon monoxide, most common and most deadly of all gases, continues its ruthless ravages on human life, according to a report by Dr. B. B. Rogers, director of the Bureau of Mines.

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## INDUSTRIAL PROBLEMS INTEREST CHURCH MEN

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 17.—The second annual meeting of the Catholic industrial conference, held in this city, was a very successful one.

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## EMPLOYERS ARE AIDED BY COMPANY 'UNION'

Portland, Ore., May 17.—A company "union" maintained by lumber barons in this state is now being used to aid the employers in their efforts to keep the workers out of the hands of the union.

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## JUST PROFITS CONTINUE

New York, May 17.—Just profits continue to be made by the owners of the coal mines in this state, despite the fact that the workers are being kept out of the hands of the union.

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## NEW VIEWPOINT NEEDED

Worcester, Mass., May 17.—"Modern industry needs a new viewpoint," said William H. Johnston, president of the International Association of Machinists, at a meeting of the association in this city.

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## SHORTWEIGHTING PAYS

Detroit, Mich., May 17.—An official of a local union in this city has been fined \$100 and costs for shortweighting his monthly dues.

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## KING WORKERS UNITING

Pickens, S. C., May 17.—The state federation of labor in this state is now being organized by a group of workers.

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## NAVY YARDS MAY BID

Washington, May 17.—Navy yards may be bid for the construction of new ships, and the government is now considering the matter.

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## INJUNCTION JUDGE JAILS FOR WORKERS

New Brunswick, N. J., May 17.—A judge in this state has issued an injunction against the workers in this state, and he has also jailed some of the workers.

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## HARVESTER PROFITS JUMP

New York, May 17.—The profits of the harvesters in this state have jumped, and the workers are now being kept out of the hands of the union.

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